PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)	Docket No. 551-P-006

In Re Application Of: **SAMI SHEMTOV**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/679,223	10/03/2003	A.M. Dunwoody	07277	3679	3278

Invention: **RAIN TIGHT COMPRESSION FITTING COUPLING DEVICE**

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **08/11/05** (*Date*) in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **11/11/05** (*Date*) until: **01/11/06** (*Date*)

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is **$225** and is to be paid as follows: Check #5761

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **13-3731**

☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **13-3731**

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Gloria Tsui-Yip
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Dated: **Jan. 9, 2006**

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